

The will of Ann Harrison omitting hortatory clauses (*Will Books, vol. —, p. 564, Richmond County*) follows:

Imp^r. I give and bequeath unto my son Samuel Harrison one Shill^s: Sterling money of England.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my son George Harrison to him and his Heirs forever part of the land I bought of William Eskridge Joyning to his Land where I now live in Length proportionable to his said Land provided he will pay unto my son Jeremiah Harrison five pounds Curt. money of Virginia but if he refuseth to pay the afores^d: Jeremiah, I give & bequeath the afores^d: Land to my two sons Mathew Harison & James Harrison to them & their Heirs forever they paying the S^d: Jeremiah Harrison the Afors^d: five pounds.

Item. I give & bequeath unto my son Benjamin Harrison to him & his heirs forever the other part of the Land I bought of the Afors^d: Eskridg it Joyning to his land where he now lives.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my Grand Daughter Ann Harrison one Callico Gownd.

Item. I give and bequeath unto Ann Harrison the wife of Jeremiah Harrison one black Gownd & one White Gownd & petecoate & a Quilted petecoate & my Cloak & Hatt & two shifts.

Item. I give & bequeath unto Ellen. the wife of Benjamin Harrison my saddle one Cuntry Cloth Gownd & black petecoate & one fine shift.

Item. I give & bequeath unto Joyce Webster one blew. Cuntry Cloth Habit & petecote & one Jackitt & one Cotton Shift and pair of Stockins.

Item. I give and bequeath all & singular the Residue of my Estate to my two sons Mathew Harrison & James Harrison to them & their heirs forever to be equally Divided between them and if Either of them should Die without Heir the Survivour to have it all.

Item. I also Constitute ordain and Appoint my three sons George Mathew & James Harrisons Whole & sole Executors of this my last will and Testament I Reevoking and Disannuling all other and former wills and Testaments by me maid or Devised and Ratifying & Confirming this and no other to be my last will & Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seal the Year above written

Signed Sealed published Declared and pronounced by the s^d: Ann Harrison to be her last will & Testament

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Ann x Harrison (scale)
mark

In presence of

	his	her
W Hartly	Edward xx Goldsby	Jane x Goldsby
	mark	mark

Ann Harrison
written

In the name of God amen this 1st Day of November 1788 I Ann Harrison of Northampton Parish
in the County of Northampton being sick & weak of body but of perfect mind & memory thank be unto God therefore
calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die Do Make
This my last will & Testament in manner and form following That I do hereby give my
Soul to Almighty God who gave it me hoping he will receive it through the merits of my ever blessed Saviour
Jesus Christ and my body to the earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named Nothing doubting
but I shall receive it again at the general resurrection by the mighty power of God and as for what worldly Estate
I have pleased God to bestow upon me I give & bequeath as followeth
Item I give and bequeath unto my son Samuel Harrison one shilling Sterling Money of England
Item I give and bequeath unto my son George Harrison to him and his heirs forever part of the Land I bought of
William Eckridge adjoining to his Land where he now lives in length the proportionable to his share of Land provided he
will pay unto my son Jeremiah Harrison two pounds Sterling Money of Virginia but if he refuseth to
pay the aforesaid two pounds to the aforesaid Jeremiah I give & bequeath the aforesaid Land to my two sons
Matthew Harrison & James Harrison to them & their heirs forever they paying the aforesaid two pounds
Item I give & bequeath unto my son Benjamin Harrison to him & his heirs forever the other part of the
Land I bought of the aforesaid Eckridge adjoining to his Land where he now lives
Item I give and bequeath unto my Grand Daughter Ann Harrison one black Cow
Item I give and bequeath unto Ann Harrison the wife of Jeremiah Harrison one black Cow and one white
Cow and one pair of white geese & my black & white two shifts
Item I give & bequeath unto Ellen the wife of Benjamin Harrison my saddle one Country cloth gown &
black petticoat & one fine shift
Item I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Deborah one blue Country cloth Habit & petticoat & one cotton shift
and pair of Stockings

